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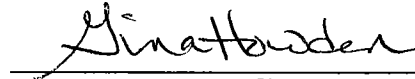
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"ATTACHMENT FOR SMALL SKID STEER  
LOADER"

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**AMENDMENT ACCOMPANYING REQUEST FOR CONTINUED**  
**EXAMINATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.114**

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Dear Sir:

This Amendment responds to the Final Office Action dated July 18, 2007, and the Advisory Action dated September 18, 2007, and accompanies the filing of a Request for Continued Examination under 37 C.F.R. §1.114. Please charge Deposit Account No. 13-3080 in the amount of \$790.00 in payment of the fee required under 37 C.F.R. §1.17(e).

Applicants respectfully request that the Examiner consider the following amendments and remarks.

<b>Amendments to the Specification:</b>	None
<b>Amendments to the Claims:</b>	Pages 2-7
<b>Amendments to the Drawings:</b>	None
<b>Remarks:</b>	Pages 8-12